

House Resolution No. 3131

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe has been distinguished as an intern for the Honorable Ward Franz, Missouri State Representative; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe, a resident of St. Paul, Minnesota, is a senior majoring in journalism at Lincoln University in Jefferson City, Missouri, and she expects to graduate this month; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe has generously volunteered for the Boys and Girls Club in Jefferson City, and she is a member and secretary of the Alpha Theta Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, a member of the National Association of Black Journalists, Lincoln University Association of Black Journalists, a staff writer for the Lincoln University Clarion, a Lincoln University news broadcaster, the representative to the Lincoln University Pan Hellenic Council, and active in St. Paul (Minnesota) Dollars for Scholars; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe joined the staff of Representative Ward Franz during the Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, as a part of the Missouri State Intern Program at the State Capitol in Jefferson City, a program designed to involve college students in the legislative process through active participation; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe has experienced the opportunity to observe first-hand the inner workings of state government and has gained valuable insight into the process by which laws are made; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe has successfully demonstrated abilities in the performance of such duties as conducting research, serving as legislative aide and session attendant, helping with constituent services, and assuming various other responsibilities to make the office of Representative Ward Franz run smoothly; and

Whereas, Veniecia Crowe has earned recognition as a valuable asset to Representative Ward Franz and the entire Missouri Legislature through the application of the knowledge and skills acquired prior this experience and has attained a variety of new skills which will be of tremendous value in wherever life's path may lead:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, proudly join the Honorable Ward Franz in commending Veniecia Crowe for the many important contributions to our State Legislature during the session, and further extend our very best wishes for continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Veniecia Crowe, as a measure of our gratitude.

Offered by _____
Representative Ward Franz
District No. 151

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3131, adopted May 3, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker